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April 15, 2022

RF:

Leffler Field

Manson Park & Recreation District

Dear Grant Review Committee:

The Chelan Douglas Regional Port Authority is the lead economic development agency in Chelan & Douglas Counties. We are writing in support of the Manson Park & Recreation District's efforts. I appreciate the leadership Manson Parks has shown in moving forward with the clean-up and revitalization of Leffler Field. I am confident that the recreational and economic impacts of the proposed project will greatly benefit the Manson community, and Chelan County, as a whole.

Leffler Field is adjacent to Highway 150, the main arterial into downtown Manson. The redevelopment of Leffler Field will significantly enhance the outdoor recreation opportunities offered within the most densely populated area of Manson. This will undoubtedly have a positive impact on the economic health of Manson, and in turn, the surrounding areas of Chelan County.

I sincerely appreciate your consideration of the District's grant application. If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Warm Regards,

Chief Executive Officer

Chelan Douglas Regional Port Authority

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April 15, 2022

RE:

Leffler Field

Manson Park & Recreation District

Dear Grant Review Committee:

As the Manager of Lake Chelan Reclamation District, I am writing in support of the Manson Park & Recreation District's funding efforts. I appreciate the leadership Manson Parks has shown in moving forward with the clean-up and revitalization of Leffler Field. I am confident that the recreational and economic impacts of the proposed project will greatly benefit the Manson community, and Chelan County, as a whole.

Leffler Field is located directly adjacent to State Highway 150, the main arterial into downtown Manson. The redevelopment of Leffler Field will significantly enhance the outdoor recreation opportunities offered within the most densely populated area. It will also have an immeasurable effect on the mental and physical health of residents, and will boost the local economy.

I sincerely appreciate your consideration of the District's grant application. If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards,

Rodney L. Anderson Secretary-Manager

Lake Chelan Reclamation District

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LAKE CHELAN COMMUNITY SERVICES COUNCIL

April 19, 2022

RE:

Leffler Field

Manson Park & Recreation District

Dear Grant Review Committee:

As President of the Board of the Lake Chelan Community Service Council, I am writing in support of the Manson Park & Recreation District's efforts to develop Leffler Field for community use. I appreciate the leadership Manson Parks has shown in moving forward with the clean-up and revitalization of Leffler Field. I am confident that the recreational and economic impacts of the proposed project will greatly benefit the Manson community, and Chelan County, as a whole.

Leffler Field is adjacent to Highway 150, the main arterial into downtown Manson. The acquisition and subsequent redevelopment of Leffler Field will significantly enhance the outdoor recreation opportunities offered within the most densely populated area of Manson. This will undoubtedly have a positive impact on the economic health of Manson and the surrounding areas of Chelan County.

I sincerely appreciate your consideration of the District's grant application. If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Warm Regards, Kathleen) Miller

Kathleen Miller

President

Lake Chelan Community Services Council

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April 19, 2022

RE:

Leffler Field

Manson Park & Recreation District

Dear Grant Review Committee:

As the General Manager of Link Transit, I am writing in support of the Manson Park & Recreation District's ("District") efforts. I appreciate the leadership the District has shown in moving forward with the clean-up and revitalization of Leffler Field. I am confident that the recreational and economic impacts of the proposed project will greatly benefit the Manson community, and Chelan County, as a whole.

Leffler Field is located directly adjacent to Highway 150, the main arterial into downtown Manson. The redevelopment of Leffler Field presents a unique partnership opportunity between Link Transit and the District. The site location provides an excellent opportunity for installation of transit amenities to benefit riders, as well as the potential to install an electric bus charger to help facilitate Link Transit's ability to operate electric vehicles in the Chelan and Manson areas. If successful, our entities will work together to enhance equity and public access for the people we serve.

I sincerely appreciate your consideration of the District's grant application. If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Warm Regards,

Richard DeRock General Manager

Link Transit

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May 2, 2022

Manson Park & Recreation District Robin Pittman P.O. Box 590 Manson, WA 98831

RE: Leffler Field

Dear Robin,

The Chelan County Commission is aware that the Manson Park & Recreation District is seeking support from the State of Washington Recreation and Conservation Office for the full acquisition and development of Leffler Field. This letter indicates the support of the Commission for this project and the application in the hope that grant funding will be awarded.

The redevelopment of Leffler Field will significantly enhance the outdoor recreation opportunities offered within the most densely populated area. It will also have an immeasurable effect on the mental and physical health of Chelan County residents, while boosting the local economy. The recreational and economic impacts of the proposed project will greatly benefit the Manson community and Chelan County, as a whole.

The Commission understands that this project will increase green space, provide public restrooms, additional parking and a park and ride for Link Transit commuters. In 2019, the Commission allocated \$500,000 in funding from the Rural County Tax Fund for Phase 1 and we are happy to provide a statement of support for this project now.

Board of Chelan County Commissioners

Kevin Overbay, Chairman

Tiffany Gening, Commissioner

Bob Bugert, Commissioner